

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A color chart includes color patches associated
with all vertexes of a rectangular parallelepiped defined
by a base coloring amount $\{QC_b, QM_b, QY_b\}$ comprising
combinations of minimum coloring amounts QC_b , QM_b and QY_b of
monochromes of cyan, magenta and yellow in a coloring
amount space represented by three axes of coloring amounts
of cyan, magenta and yellow, a maximum coloring amount QC_{max}
10 of monochrome of cyan, a maximum coloring amount QM_{max} of
monochrome of magenta M, and a maximum coloring amount QY_{max}
of monochrome of yellow Y in the coloring amount space, and
in addition a color patch associated with an intermediate
point located between two vertexes on a straight line
15 coupling the two vertexes with one another, even if any two
vertexes of the rectangular parallelepiped are selected.

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